IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

SAMUEL RANDOLPH, No. 1:06-CV-0901

Petitioner (Chief Judge Conner)

v.

JOHN E. WETZEL, Secretary, THIS IS A CAPITAL CASE

Pennsylvania Department of

Corrections: LOUIS B. FOLINO, Superintendent of the State

Correctional Institution at Greene;

and MARIROSA LAMAS, Superintendent of the State **Correctional Institution at** Rockview,

Respondents

ORDER

AND NOW, this 16th day of November, 2015, upon consideration of petitioner's latest status report regarding discovery requests (Doc. 139), in which petitioner states that four boxes of material were either lost, misplaced, or stolen from the Dauphin County District Attorney's Office, and "respectfully request[s] the Court's assistance in the resolution of this matter," (id. ¶ 5), and concluding that such a request would be more appropriately presented in a motion, it is hereby ORDERED that petitioner's request for the Court's assistance in discovery (Doc. 139 ¶ 5) is STRICKEN without prejudice to petitioner's right to file a motion to compel discovery.

> /S/ CHRISTOPHER C. CONNER Christopher C. Conner, Chief Judge United States District Court Middle District of Pennsylvania